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Case Number: 24-CV-00500

Plaintiff:

UNITED SOVEREIGN AMERICANS INC., et al.

vs.

Defendant:

NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS, et al.

For:

VAN DER VEEN, HARTSHORN & LEVIN
1219 Spruce St.
Philadelphia, PA 19107

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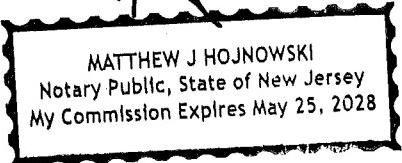
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GARLAND, U.S. Attorney General

Defendant(s)

) Civil Action No. 5:24-cv-00500-M-BM

SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

To: (*Defendant's name and address*)

MERRICK GARLAND, ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE U.S.
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A lawsuit has been filed against you.

Within 21 days after service of this summons on you (not counting the day you received it) — or 60 days if you are the United States or a United States agency, or an officer or employee of the United States described in Fed. R. Civ. P. 12 (a)(2) or (3) — you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are:

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